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**APPROACHING GOD**

*We acknowledge that the land upon which we gather is unceded Mi'kmaq territory. Epekwitk (Prince Edward Island) is covered by the historic Treaties of Peace and Friendship. We pay our respects to the Indigenous Mi'kmaq People who have occupied this Island for over 12,000 years; past, present and future.*

*\* denotes standing*

*Sermon Series: Creating All Things New*

**MUSICAL PRELUDE**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS & PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP**

**WELCOME**

**LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE**

**\*INTROIT: #156 MV** “Dance with the Spirit”

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP:** Paraphrase from Genesis 1:29-31 by Rev. Rachel Campbell

One: God said, “See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food.”

**All: We are thankful for the many gifts of your creation. We remember our promise to be good stewards of the endless bounty of mother earth.**

One: “And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the air and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.”

**All: We are thankful for the many gifts of your creation. We promise to care for and protect her.**

**One: God smiled and said it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good.**

**\*HYMN: #150 VU** “Spirit God, Be Our Breath”

**GATHERING PRAYER:** A Paraphrase of Psalm 106:1–5

*From 2022 Indigenous Day of Prayer - All My Relations worship service and sermon by the Rev. Nancy Best. Used with Permission*

One: Praise our Creator! O Meegwetch give thanks to the Maker, for Turtle Island nurtures us; love lives forever in ancestors dancing in the aurora borealis.

Who can truth talk the mighty doings of the Creator or drum all their praises? Joyful are those who observe justice, who work for right relations at all times. Remember me, O Great Spirit, when you show honour to your people.

**All: Help us when you lead us into places of protection. We see the grateful hunting of creatures, generous gathering and abundant harvest and prosperity our kin, that we may dance in the ceremonies of our nation’s people, that we may glory in your ancestry. All my relations.**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER:** *To be sung together*

**LISTENING TO GOD’S WORD**

**A TIME FOR ALL AGES:** Spark Bible Reading “The Parable of the Rich Man”

Luke 16:19-31 - Read by Kelly D’Agostino

**CHILDREN’S HYMN: #585 VU** “Jesus Bids Us Shine”

**SCRIPTURE:** Jeremiah 32:6-15 NRSV - Read by Leam Dickson

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC:** “Come and Seek the Ways of Wisdom”

**SERMON:** “What Is Right!” by Rev. Rachel Campbell

**RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD**

**\*HYMN: #83 MV** “Let My Spirit Always Sing”

**MINUTE FOR MISSION:** Sharon Moyse

**OFFERTORY PRAYER & \*OFFERTORY HYMN:** “We Bring Our Gifts to Share”

**CALL TO PRAYER: #381 VU** “Spirit of Life”

**PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND CONCERN** Read by Rev. Rachel Campbell

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\*\* This prayer is from a worship service by the Rev. Nancy Best and the Rev. Dr. Lisa Waites.\*

**\*HYMN: #661 VU** “Come to My Heart”

**\*COMMISSIONING & BLESSING**

**\*POSTLUDE HYMN: #223 MV** “We Will Go with God”

**MUSICAL POSTLUDE**

Welcome and thank you to all present and participating and to those watching and listening. Thank you to the Contemporary Choir for leading us in this morning's worship.

Sunday service is available on YouTube. The YouTube link for the Worship Service will be up on the Trinity webpage at 10:30 a.m. Sunday. The Trinity website is [trinitysummerside.ca](http://trinitysummerside.ca)

**BE SURE TO LOOK DOWN!** As you are aware at the June meeting of the Trinity Council some youth brought forward an idea to create a space at the entrance of the main doors of the sanctuary to show witness. To pause and to listen. Over the weekend youth came together to create their second vision of this place of witness. The new pavement painted on Sunday is to recognize Truth and Reconciliation. The youth are currently exploring other ways to learn about Truth and Reconciliation including the sharing of the 94 calls of action each week at church until they are all read. Thank you to the Chair of the Christian Life & Growth Team, Sandee MacLean, fellow Team Member - Gwyn Richards, our new Engagement & Communications Coordinator - Hannah Collicutt, and all the youth who took part. We hope your amazing work will help us to pause, to listen and to be in a place of witness.

#### SUNDAY September 18, 2022

Attendance:	Congregation	106 (including choir, congregation, and volunteers)
	Junior Church	13 including volunteers
Contributions:	Envelopes 18	\$ 505.00
	Loose Givings	\$ 115.00
	91 PAR Givers	\$ 8280.00 monthly

#### SAVE THE DAY: STAND UP FOR JUSTICE WORKSHOP IS COMING TO TRINITY:

On Saturday October 1st from 1 to 4pm. Open to youth in Grade 7 & up, The Save The Day program is a youth leadership, development and community engagement project that empowers youth to stand up for justice and be the change they want to see in the world. Youth that are interested are asked to email Hannah Collicutt, Engagement And Communications Coordinator at [Hannah@trinitysummerside.ca](mailto:Hannah@trinitysummerside.ca)

**SOUP AND ROLL LUNCHEON OCTOBER 2nd:** The Christian Life and Growth Team are inviting everyone to a Soup and Roll Luncheon after church on October 2nd on World Communion Day. A Free Will Offering will be taken with proceeds going to the work of CL&G team. The team invites any performers to share their talents of music or verse during the meal. Save the date and plan to attend.

**UPDATE ON HOSPITAL VISITATION:** Due to ongoing Covid Restrictions at PEI Hospital facilities clergy are only allowed to visit the hospital **IF CALLED** in by hospital staff, a family member on behalf of a patient, or the patient themselves. Clergy are now allowed to visit multiple patients when called in following the hospital protocols. Rev. Rachel's emergency line is 902-439-1881.

**CALL FOR REFUNDABLE RECYCLING:** Drop off at the Don's Bottle exchange and be sure to tell them the money goes to Trinity. We will receive the refund and the money will be in support of the Trinity Food Box Program. This is an initiative of the Christian Life and Growth Team. Thank you!

**FOOD BOXES:** The demand for food boxes has grown. Please consider including a few items when you are doing your weekly shopping. Items can be left at the entrances of the church on any Sunday morning or dropped off at the business office Monday -Friday 8:30am-3:30pm. Please see our website or call the office for a list of suggested items.

**PASTORAL CARE HOME VISITS UPDATE:** If you would like a home visit please contact the church office at 902-436-3155. Note that Clergy will remain masked throughout the visit and follow hand sanitizing protocols. We ask you not to book a home visit if you are unwell.

**FALL VISITATION BOOK** is now in the welcome centre in the sanctuary. Please sign up with your name and phone number or call the office and sign up 902-436-3155 and your name and number will be added to the Visitation Book. Rev. Rachel completed 159 home visits before the pandemic and now wants to resume those initial home visits. If you have not had a home visit with Rev. Rachel and would like one this is a great time to sign up ☺.

**COMING THIS AUTUMN!! *Zooming the Lectionary*** – Have you ever wanted to dig deeper in the scriptures Rev. Rachel preaches on each week? This is your chance all from the comfort of home. With *Zooming the Lectionary*, you can just call in or click on the link and join the weekly study via your iPad, computer or laptop. We meet on Friday's mornings from 10 a.m. till 11 a.m. and discuss the weekly lectionary scriptures. No previous bible study experience required. Session start Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>. To register email [rachel@trinitysummerside.ca](mailto:rachel@trinitysummerside.ca) or call 902-436-3155. Led by Rev. Rachel and all are welcome. Come when you can and register at anytime throughout the year.

***Gospel Jamming – Learning the Gospel through Song (Small Group Study)*** Autumn 2022 – October 1 and November 5 \*\*\* Spring 2022 – April 1 and May 6 Location: The Sanctuary Time: 11 a.m. till noontime Leaders: Rev. Rachel Campbell & D'Arcy Ellis Details: Each session the group will be re-introduced to a Gospel Music classic and dive into the theology represented in that piece of music, what scripture lessons it emphasizes, and how it may influence our core Christian teachings. At the end of the study, we will share in a Gospel jam session so bring your singing voice and/or instrument to play and sing along. Don't forget your Bible. No Registration Required. Just show up and join in. All welcome.

**Schedule For The Week September 25-October 2**



Sunday	10:30am	In person worship/live stream with Rev. Rachel Campbell
	10:45am	Junior Church in the Auditorium, meet in the Sanctuary first
	12:00pm	Take 2! Trinity Players meet in the Sanctuary and zoom
	7:00pm	The Abbey service in the Sanctuary
Monday	1:00pm	Novice Driving Classroom session in the Auditorium
Tuesday	7:00pm	Community Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
Wednesday	8:00am	Men's Breakfast meet at Star Café
	8:15am	Ladies of the Church & Friends meet at Star Café
	5:45pm	Handbell Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
	7:00pm	Trinity Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
	8:15pm	Contemporary Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
Thursday	10:00am	Trinity Café meet in the Sanctuary
Friday		Business Office Closed for National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
Saturday	9:30am	Trinity Art Group meet in the Auditorium
	11:00am	Gospel Jamming with D'Arcy Ellis and Rev. Rachel
	1:00pm	Stand Up For Justice Workshop in the Sanctuary
Sunday	10:30am	In person worship/live stream
	10:45am	Junior Church in the Auditorium, meet in the Sanctuary first
	11:30am	Soup and Roll Luncheon in the Auditorium following worship
	11:30am	Worship Team meet in the Boardroom
	7:00pm	The Abbey service in the Sanctuary

**LOOKING AHEAD**

Oct 05	Service at Andrews Lodge at 1:30pm
Oct 06	Christian Life & Growth meet in Sanctuary & Zoom at 6:30pm
Oct 07	Zooming the Lectionary with Rev. Rachel from 10-11am
Oct 08	Feed My Sheep Community Breakfast from 8:30-10am

**BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:30am-3:30pm**

**SCHEDULE FOR REV. RACHEL:** Rev. Rachel's days off will be Monday and Tuesday. Please call the office for assistance.

**Come and make music at Trinity United Church! There are no age restrictions and no auditions! You are invited to join any or all of our groups. Read on:**

Our Trinity Choir would love to have more choristers to join in the leadership of hymns for worship. You might be one of those people who has always wanted to sing.... Come and try us out on Wednesday evenings. You can give it a trial run and see what you think. We are a friendly bunch and supportive of each other; making music is our goal and the benefits of singing are immense. You will feel better physically, psychologically, socially and emotionally. Your songs sung to God are special prayers! The Trinity Choir sings most Sundays with a week off about every 6 weeks when other groups will lead service music. Join us - we would love to have you.

The Bell Ringers of Trinity welcome new players anytime. Ringing bells is fun! A little bit of musical background does help, but we do all we can to assist you in learning to ring. The bell ringers practice at 5:45 on Wednesday for an hour. We play about every 6 weeks or so. If you don't always get an arm workout at the gym, come to bells!!

Contemporary choir presents contemporary Christian music as well as older style Christian music but we add guitar, drums, shakers.... It's just another way to praise God! If you play guitar or banjo or mandolin or violin or have a drumming background, you might want to try us out. Contemporary Choir plays for church about every 4 weeks and rehearse on Wednesdays at 8:15 - 9:15. Singers and players all welcome!

Perhaps you are a soloist who would like to share your talent within a church service. Talk to Louise - she loves collaborating with musicians to create music that fits into our services and which will help each of us move closer to God as we worship.

If you have questions, email Louise ([music@trinitysummerside.ca](mailto:music@trinitysummerside.ca)) or chat with her after service at the front of the church or call her at the church - Wednesdays are the best day to get her at the church but Wendy will forward your message to her any time.

## JUNIOR CHURCH IS BACK!!

The Christian Life & Growth Team are thrilled to announce that Junior Church is coming back and now it is for ages 3 to 12!

The first autumn session titled the “Harvest Session” will look at care of creation and thanksgiving. Crafts, Games, and Stories ☺.

Dates are September 25 October 2 October 9

Register the first day you are at Junior Church or call the Church Office at 902-436-3155. Come with your Adult to the sanctuary at 10:30 a.m. and then after the children’s hymn we will move the auditorium. Participants can be picked up by the Adult they came with directly after church.

Children are invited to bring in an offering of a non-perishable food item each week that will go towards the Food Box Program.

\*\*Note: **A full schedule** will be posted on the website [www.trinitysummerside.ca](http://www.trinitysummerside.ca) under the “Children & Youth” tab that will look at two remaining sessions of 2022.

### WAYS TO GIVE TO TRINITY, WE THANK YOU

#### *Option 1 PAR- Pre-Authorized Remittance*

This is administered through the United Church of Canada. A PAR Authorization Form can be found on-line at The United Church of Canada website (<https://www.united-church.ca/>) by clicking in the search button and typing PAR. Or contact Wendy at [admin@trinitysummerside.ca](mailto:admin@trinitysummerside.ca) or call 902-436-3155

#### *Option 2 – Post Dated Cheques*

You can mail posted dated cheques to Trinity United Summerside.

#### *Option 3 – On Our Website Trinity Summerside.ca*

You can give directly to Trinity United Church through the website:

<https://trinitysummerside.ca/> Just scroll down the home page until you see the **Donate Now** tab.

#### *Option 4 – E Transfer*

You can e-transfer your offering by using the following email: [donate@trinitysummerside.ca](mailto:donate@trinitysummerside.ca)

Please indicate in the comments section of the transfer your name, the envelope number and the designation of the givings (i.e., general fund, M&S, local). E-transfers will be auto-deposited, no need for passwords.

#### *Option 5 - Cash Please contact the office at 902-436-3155*

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY:** It takes a village to run a church – are you one of our villagers? With the number of people returning to worship, we are putting out a call to build a list of Ushers. The Usher would sign up a month or if two people would like to share a month, that’s great, too. The Usher would ensure doors are open before service and closed at end of service. They would assist at the accessibility door, be available during the service for assistance, ensure collection gathered up and would be a mentor to the weekly greeters. Please contact Nancy Small at [Smallnancy61@gmail.com](mailto:Smallnancy61@gmail.com) or contact the office to have Nancy contact you.

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